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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN POSSIBLE TRADE COMPLAINT

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM CONGRESSMAN SANTINI (NEVADA) IN BEHALF OF HIS LAS VEGAS CONSTITUENT, MR. MAX SPIEGELSTEIN, TO INVESTIGATE POSSIBLE TRADE COMPLAINT.

2. ACCORDING TO CONSTITUENT, HE HAS NUMBER OF CALCULATING MACHINES IN STORAGE IN HAIFA PORT AREA. NO RPT NO STORAGE BILLS WERE SENT FOR OVER A YEAR. CONSTITUENT DESIRED TO BRING STORED CARGO BACK TO U.S. AND WAS TOLD THAT STORAGE CHARGES MUST BE PAID BEFORE CARGO CAN BE RELEASED. CONSTITUENT FEELS HE WAS MISLED ON STORAGE CHARGES AND WOULD HAVE STORED IN LESS EXPENSIVE WAREHOUSE IF HE HAD KNOWN STORAGE CHARGES WERE PAYABLE.

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3. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY INVESTIGATION AND REPORT FINDINGS SO CONGRESSMAN SANTINI CAN RESPOND TO CONSTITUENT'S CONCERNS. PLEASE SLUG REPLY FOR EB/OCA. NEWSOM

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